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DECLARATION OR OATH

I.

1. No executed declaration or oath was filed. Enclosed is an executed copy of the declaration or oath for this application.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE TRANSLATION OF NON-ENGLISH INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION

II.

1. Applicant submits herewith an English translation and a declaration that the translation is accurate.

FEES

III.

1. Surcharge fees

Surcharge for filing the oath or declaration
later than thirty months from the priority date
pursuant to §1.495 c: \$ 130.00

Surcharge for filing English translation later
than thirty months from the priority date \$130.00

Assignment (see "ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET") \$40.00

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Total fees \$ 300.00

EXTENSION OF TIME

IV.

The proceedings herein are for a patent application. The provisions of 37 C.F.R. section 1.1 36(a) apply.

Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

TOTAL FEE DUE

V. The total fee due is:

Completion fee(s)	\$ 300.00
Extension fee (if any)	\$ 0.00
TOTAL FEE DUE	\$ 300.00

PAYMENT OF FEES

VI.

Attached is a check in the amount of \$300.00.

If this fee is insufficient, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 15-0450.

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 05/05/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 05/05/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 05/05/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 05/05/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 05/05/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 05/05/2005
- Non-English Language Application filed on 05/05/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Translation of the application into English. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than 30 months from the priority date.
- Processing fee for providing the translation of the application and/or the Annexes later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(i)).
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$260** for a Large Entity:

- **\$130** Surcharge.
- **\$130** for English translation surcharge required.

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ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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